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SANTA FE RUMORED BUYER OF THE OAKLAND TRACTION

IT IS SAID RAILROAD CORP ATION IS LOOKING FORWARD TO BIG SHIPPING ER BY THE OPENING OF THE PANAMA CANAL—KEY ROUTE SYSTEM ALSO REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN ABSORBED BY SANTA FE—$200,000,000 SAID TO HAVE BEEN PRICE.

Developments in the affairs of the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal railways, since its recent reorganization by George O. Moore of Detroit, representing carefully hidden financial interests, indicate that the "British capitalists" concerned in the deal are none other than the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway company, according to the late editions of the Oakland evening papers yesterday.

While it has been the policy of the new management to keep the public in ignorance as to the identity of the new holding company and allow the general impression to prevail that British interests have acquired these important plants of the United Properties company, in the promotion of which $200,000,000 corporation F. M. ("Borax") Smith was brought to the brink of financial ruin, it leaked out yesterday from a source that is apparently authentic that the Santa Fe really is in possession of both the Key system and the Oakland traction lines, and that the purchase was consummated by President Ripley with a view to getting better and more adequate terminal facilities at Oakland for his railroad in anticipation of the great increase in both passenger and freight traffic that is bound to be developed by the new conditions that will follow in the wake of the opening of the Panama canal.

It is an accepted fact in railroad circles that within the inauguration of the new shipping era by the opening of the big ditch all of the railroads of the country will have to combine to meet as nearly as possible the low water tariff, and that none of the railways are more seriously concerned in this matter than the transcontinental lines having Pacific coast terminals in Oakland. Among these, of course, is the Santa Fe, and in anticipation of the transportation revolution that the Panama canal will bring about, according to the information given to the press yesterday, President Ripley is said to have made his railroad absolutely independent by acquiring the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal railways. All the property the Santa Fe wanted for the com-

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Richmond's Population 19,219

Taking the average daily school attendance in this city as a basis Richmond now has a population of 19,219. The method of computation employed by the statistician in the office of the state superintendent of schools, at Sacramento, and which on a test has been found accurate, is to multiply the daily average attendance in the Richmond schools by 11.2. The average daily attendance in the Richmond schools, as given out by Superintendent of Schools W. T. Helms, for January, is 1716. This gives Richmond a population of 19,219, or more than three times what it was in 1910 when the United States census was taken.

That these figures are probably near the mark is evidenced by the fact that San Francisco is estimating her population at about 500,000 based on the same calculation used in Richmond's case.

RICHMOND IS BEING CONSIDERED AS POSSIBLE NAVAL OIL DEPOT

George McKay, supervising engineer of the Mare Island Navy yard, in company with Robert Woods, manager of the Belt Line railway, together with the members of the Richmond Industrial commission, were in Richmond today looking for a possible site for the new naval oil base to be established on this coast in the near future.

McKay was taken for a trip about the outer and inner harbor and was shown along the waterfront from Point Isabella to Point Orient. The new naval oil base is to be established, prior to the opening of the Panama canal so that ships now burning oil can load up with the fuel.

The government has found after a number of tests that it is far more cheaper to install oil burners on its fighting machines than to keep up the present expense of supplying coal.

The only other site that has been considered as a possible oil base for the government has been Mare Island but it is thought that Richmond has better and quicker facilities for loading Uncle Sam's fighting craft since the Standard Oil company's monster pipe line from the Kern county oil fields discharges its supply at the refinery in this city.

SCHOOL BOARD WILL LOOK AFTER ANNEXED DISTRICT

RICHMOND BOARD OF EDUCATION TO MEET TOMORROW AND WILL GO OVER ELECTION RETURNS BEFORE TRANSMITTING SAME TO SUPERVISORS—BONDS WILL PROBABLY BE SOLD IN APRIL—ONLY HALF OF ISSUE TO BE OFFERED AT PRESENT TIME.

The Richmond board of education will meet tomorrow in the Lincoln school building for the purpose of canvassing the vote of the recent school bond election. The law requires that the board perform this duty not less than seven days before an election has been held. After the local board members satisfy themselves that all is well and the documents and ballots cast at the election will be transmitted to the board of supervisors at Martinez. The supervisors will canvass the vote at their first meeting in March after which the bonds will be advertised for sale.

It has been given out that not more than a block of $50,000 or probably $75,000 will be offered for sale at first. This money will be used for relieving the situation in the annexed district. The personnel of the Richmond board of education feel that the pledges made the people of Pullman and Stege section of Richmond must be carried out to the letter and the lapse of a few months will see a new school building in that neighborhood, besides the present building at Stege will be remodeled and repaired.

The question of securing a site for a school in the vicinity of Twenty-third street will be taken up at an early date, according to Superintendent of Schools Wm. T. Helms, and it is said several sites have been offered the board of education. It is not known just what particular site appeals most to the members of the board, but the wishes of the people of that section of Richmond will be ascertained.

The balance of the bonds will be offered for sale after the most pressing needs of the school district have been relieved and the first money spent. It is probable that some time will elapse before the board will be ready to expend the entire amount of money voted by the people at the last school bond election.

By disposing of only a portion of the school bonds at one time the people of the district will save considerable money in interest, for as soon as the bonds have been issued and disposed of the interest account will begin to accumulate.

WATER DIRECTORS DISCUSS BOND ELECTION

The directors of the Richmond Municipal Water district held their regular weekly meeting last evening at the city hall with all present. President Levi Boswell presided. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the clerk and approved.

Outside of routine business the directors spent the evening in discussing the proposed water bond election and it was agreed that the election will be called before the expiration of the present month. It is the desire of the water directors to place in the hands of every elector in the city a copy of the engineer's report so that every one interested in a better water service for the municipality can make a personal and careful study of the project.

The engineer's report is now in the hands of the printer and will be ready for delivery in about ten days when deliveries to the electors of the city will be made.

It is probable that an alternative proposition will be submitted to the people when the election is called. The first one will be to vote whether the bond issue shall be $2,500,000 and the second one will be for $2,800,000. The difference in the two amounts exists in the cost between wood pipe and sheet metal pipe.

An ordinance was introduced fixing the minimum wage scale at $2.50. The ordinance will take its usual course.

BRIMSTONE WILL LOCATE IN ANTIOCH

Jack Brimstone, formerly cigar store proprietor in this city, has removed to Antioch, where he will open up a first-class pool and billiard hall.

Brimstone, while in this city, made a host of friends who will be sorry to learn of his leaving for other parts.

BEEF IN THROAT KILLS ANTIOCH TOWN MARSHAL

ANTIOCH, Cal., Feb. 6.—T. P. Shine, town marshal here, choked to death last night when a piece of meat lodged in his windpipe as he was eating supper at the family home. Shine served many years as marshal and deputy sheriff. He leaves a widow and son, William, of Antioch, and a daughter, Mrs. W. A. Christianson, of Richmond.

SICKNESS CAUSES MAN TO LOSE HIS MIND

Convulsions brought about by pneumonia, from which he was suffering, caused Dr. W. E. Lucas to be called hastily to the bedside of E. Goldini, residing at 228 First street at a late hour last evening. When Dr. Lucas arrived Goldini was raving and shouting at the top of his voice. He was soon quieted down with the aid of narcotics and the Smallwood ambulance summoned which conveyed him to the Roosevelt hospital. Dr. Lucas holds out little hope for his recovery.

Goldini, according to friends who were attending him, had been ill for some time and it was not until last evening that his condition suddenly became worse and he lost his mind.

POSTAL TELEGRAPH TO HAVE OFFICE HERE

The Postal Telegraph company is to have a local office in Richmond, according to a post card received by the Record-Herald from Miss Lulu Grant, in San Francisco, who formerly held a position with the Western Union Telegraph company in this city. Miss Grant states that the superintendent of the Postal company has promised to come over to Richmond and look over the field with a view to installing a local office for his company.

ESCAPED PRISONER LEADS OFFICERS MERRY CHASE

Frank Ford, a trusty, at the jail, escaped at a late hour this afternoon and after leading the Richmond police a merry chase was finally captured at the junction of Potrero avenue and Cutting boulevard.

Ford was at work in the rear of the jail when watching his chances with Desk Sergeant McGowan, who was watching him, he hastily donned his coat and hat and started out Ashland avenue to Macdonald following that thoroughfare as far as Twenty-third street where he managed to get a ride on a wagon bound for Oakland. Detective Walker and Officer Phillips had been notified of Ford's escape and after an exciting automobile chase managed to bet their man.

POLICE SEARCH FOR DARING ROBBER

Sergeant Rutz, together with Detective Walker and Officers Barry and Wright, combed this city today for a trace of the robber who on Tuesday evening dynamited the safe of the Hunt, Hatch company in Berkeley, making a haul of close to $1000.

The police searched a number of the cheap lodging houses in the Italian quarter on the west side following which they formed a posse and instituted a search in the hills above the county line.

BASKETBALL FANS TO WITNESS A FAST GAME

The girls' and boys' basketball team of the Richmond high school will clash with the two teams from the Riverview high school of Antioch this evening. The game will take place in the high school gym and promises to be one of the fastest staged by the basketball enthusiasts this year, Antioch having defeated most of the up country teams.

The line-up for the girls' team of the local high school this evening will be:

Forwards, Anita Kruger, Maryanna Mount; centers, Vera Lautenschlager, Thelma Milnes; guards, Ruth Long, Jennie Ver Moore; substitutes, Louise Fanning, Evelyn Robertson.

GASOLINE CARS LEAVE FOR UTAH

The three gasoline cars the S. P. company is sending to Utah to be used in the mountain districts of that state, passed through Richmond at an early hour this morning en route to their destination.

The cars are built on the same lines as the one used in this city several years ago by the Santa Fe company, only of much greater power.

The sum-up of philosophy: Some things are all right, and some things ain't.

It is easy for a defeated man to imagine that the country is going to ruin.

TORRENS LAND ACT WILL GO ON BALLOT

Certificates were received yesterday by County Clerk Wells at Martinez from Secretary of State Jordan announcing that the petitions were sufficient to place the Torrens land act and prohibition on the ballots as amendments to be voted on at the next general election.

LEAVE HOMES IN RHINE VALLEY FOR RICHMOND

Miss Heib Naas and J. H. Bohlin are expected to arrive in this city in a few days from their respective homes in the picturesque Rhine valley, in Germany, to be married.

A position has been secured for Bohlen in this city and following the simple ceremony that will make the lovers man and wife they will take up their residence on Nevin avenue.

BULLETS HAVE NO FEAR FOR THIS PATRIOT

A patriot who will answer the call to arms made by the revolutionists of Mexico is J. M. Garcia, residing at 2231 Barrett avenue. Garcia will leave for Juarez the first of the week where he will report to General aPancho Villa and probably be placed in command of a company that is about to invade Sonora.

Garcia, previous to his taking up his residence in this city, commanded a small army of insurgents under General Madero and made such an excellent showing that General Pancho Villa has telegraphed him to again join the ranks of the revolutionists.

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"To Observations Which Ourselves We Make, We Grow More Partial for the Observer's Sake."

FIX PRICES BY LAW

The state of Kklahoma is the youngest in the galaxy of the Union, but its youth and modesty is far from keeping it in the background of public affairs. The young state is destined to lead in many ways. For instance, it has a state corporation commission, created by law, and that commission has just fixed the price of kerosene at 8 cents a gallon in the western part of the state. Oklahoma is one of the leading producers of petroleum and its compounds in the country, second only to California, and that product ought to be at the lowest figures there, but, on the contrary, kerosene has been retailing at 15 to 20 cents a gallon.

Instead of applying a statue framed on the same basis as the national Sherman law against trusts and combinations that put up prices, this state commission takes the matter in hand and fixes the prices. To violate the commission's command means both a heavy fine and a jail sentence. This is a direct advance upon all other methods of reducing the prices of necessaries, and if it can be applied to fixing the price of kerosene in Oklahoma, and the railroad passenger rates in many other states, why can't it be used in every case where a just and well known complaint upon the part of a large majority of the people exists? And why can't it be done right here in California, and in every other state in the Union?

As a general proposition we are against government by commission, and hold that this state has too many commissions already, who do nothing much but draw fat salaries, but in flagrant cases, cases which need and merit such attention and regulation, why should not it be done?

Every corporation, firm and individual should be allowed a good fair profit upon its business operations, but where prices are exhorbitant some court, commission or power should be given full authority by law to put a stop to it, in the interest of the whole public. The cold storage pirates would thus be routed and made to sell their butter, eggs and other products at a fair living profit, instead of holding the public up as mercilessly as would any thug with mask and blackjack. The California Fish trust would not then be allowed to pay its fishermen 3 cents a pound for fish and stand up the consumer for from 18 to 25 cents a pound.

We are now living in an age when the direct rule is by the people and reasonably quick action demanded. Time is fleeting and the necessities of the day and hour are urgent. The state railroad commission, for instance, has shown itself to be competent, fair and just to all parties concerned, and there can be no reasonable doubt but what if power was given it by statute to reduce prices on necessaries when the showing made proved conclusively that such action was merited and proper to all parties concerned, a great public good would be accomplished.

Whoever represents this county in the next legislature ought to frame and introduce just such a statute as is now in good working order in the state of Oklahoma.

Mexico's seat of war must need a patch sewed on it by this time.

It seems reasonable just now to give President Wilson the benefit of a belief that the ultimate consumer is not going to be used as a doormat quite so promiscuously as heretofore.

Being a game sport has its merits, but if that is the way a lot of your money is frittered away you had better bank some of the money, for in time of need it will come in much handier than a sporty reputation.

And speaking of the ever pleasant subject of the ladies' costumes, it is now said the prevailing styles have been dug up from fashions in vogue 4,000 years ago. Well, that's all right, just so they don't go back a few more thousand years and copy Eve's style.

Man wants but little here below,
He wants no coin in stacks,
For he who has but little dough
Escapes the income tax.

Ex-President Taft has 35 pairs of trousers, which is about 33 more than most of us have.

Generally speaking, time flies, but not when a fellow is waiting for a snail waiter in a restaurant to serve a dinner.

An observant exchange notes that fat people are willing to do anything to reduce their weight except to eat less and take exercise.

Now, what is it, anyhow, that a fool rooster finds to crow about at midnight and again at three or four o'clock in the morning?

Billy Sunday has accumulated a fortune in the past few years, while many a better preacher has to get along on about $500 a year.

An Oakland paper speaks of a well-to-do bachelor. Neighbor, there ain't no such thing as a well-to-do bachelor.

Women's clothes cost so much now days that maybe they can't afford to get enough to cover them all up at one time.

This is a fast age and everybody is in a hurry, but the fellow who rides those snorting juggernauts around called motorcycles is in altogether too big a hurry.

South Carolina has turned down woman suffrage. The men don't vote half the time down there, either, and most of them have hook worm, as well as other worms.

The courts have decided that no man is compelled to dodge an automobile. With all due respent to the courts, it is a good scheme to keep right on dodging 'em, just the same.

Nick Longworth wants to return to congress, but should be turned down. He hasn't treated the country right. Mrs. Winslow would starve to death if she had to depend upon him for soothing syrup trade.

State convicts ought to be put to work on the public roads all over the state. It could be done so as not to interfere with private labor and would prove a great public benefit. In Colorado it has been most successful for many years.

And now somebody says that in a few more years there will only be two great political parties—a woman's party and a man's party. Nothing of the sort will ever happen, but if it did we will join in with the women—if permitted.

A couple of hundred deputies under the fish and game commission of this state ought to be called in and put to work on the state highway. They are of about as much benefit as the p in pneumonia.

There is one good thing in connection with these thin silk stockings and low slippers—there are no long-horn mosquitoes around here to bite the ankle. If they were here they would, though, if they had good taste.

"See that big, fat, red-headed woman?" an Atchinson woman asked her husband this morning. "Well, she's the slender auburn haired girl you used to rave over," she concluded with a sniff, and the husband thought: do women EVER forget?—Atchison Globe.

Judge Ben Lindsey and his bride got a characteristic reception in Denver when they arrived home. About 300 newsboys were at the depot to receive them, and when the judge asked them what they thought of his wife they yelled in one grand chorus, "Some chicken!"

Most any old political party or other gathering can adopt resolutions. Also many people make good resolutions the first of the year who break them a few days or weeks later on.

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MISS KATHERINE SMITH OF 2425 FOURTH ST., WEST BERKELEY

Living quietly in a modest little cottage with her father, who is an employe of the city, Miss Smith was for nine whole days quite unaware that a great piece of good fortune awaited her.

Meanwhile the daily papers were calling in huge type on the holder of ticket 17,500 to come forward and claim her prize home.

It was not until a neighbor commenting on the slowness of the claimant, caused Miss Smith to remark that she had "a few tickets somewhere about the house." A search of drawers and boxes finally brought to light the magic pasteboard bearing the number 17,500.

Miss Smith telephoned to the John Breuner Company at once and L. F. Breuner, president of the company, together with O. F. Olson, the local manager, called upon her, bearing the firm's congratulations and good wishes.

The moving picture people, always alert, were on hand and the incident was filmed for the "Pacific Weekly." Two days later a clear deed for the home was presented to Miss Smith in the Breuner store at Thirteenth and Franklin streets.

The bungalow and lot presented to Miss Smith is located on Randolph avenue, between Hampel and Millbury streets, in Fourth Avenue Terrace, Oakland. The lot is 40x110 feet, with cement sidewalk, gas and water connections and lawn ready planted. The bungalow was built by day's labor, is modern throughout and consists of five rooms, bath and sleeping porch. Included are enamel bath tubs, kitchen cupboards, built-in sideboard and china closet, concealed water boiler, gas water heater, etc. The value of this Breuner gift is five thousand dollars.

Annually for six consecutive years the Breuner Company of Oakland has presented a home to some one of their Alameda county friends. The first one was presented to Mrs. F. Daly of San Lorenzo in 1908; the second to A. W. Reynolds of 667 Thirty-second street; the third to H. N. Cunning of 725 Forty-third street; the fourth to Hans Lorenzen of 61 Newton avenue; the fifth to Al Moffit of Eighteenth and Chestnut street.

This year of 1914 another home will be given away by the Breuner store of Oakland, tickets for which are now ready. —advt.

VITAL STATISTICS FOR MONTH OF JANUARY

The following report covering vital statistics in this city for the month of January has been filed with the city council by Health Commissioner Blake:

Adachi—Nov. 7, 1913, to the wife of I. Adachi, a son.

Brady—Jan. 10, 1914, to the wife of T. Brady, a daughter.

Celis—Jan. 15, 1914, to the wife of Geo. Celis, a daughter.

Davis—Jan. 5, 1914, to the wife of A. P. Davis, a son.

DeCourtney—Jan. 26, 1914, to the wife of D. DeCourtney, a son.

DeRoco—Dec. 7, 1913, to the wife of J. A. DeRoco, a daughter.

Engel—Jan. 10, 1914, to the wife of O. H. Engel, a son.

Hartley—Jan. 12, 1914, to the wife of W. D. Hartley, a daughter.

Hudson—Jan. 15,1914, to the wife of M. P. Hudson, a daughter.

Keller—Jan. 15, 1914, to the wife of D. J. Keller, a son.

McColley—Jan. 25, 1914, to the wife of S. C. McColley, a daughter.

McCormick—Jan. 19, to the wife of A. C. McCormick, a son.

Mills, Jan. 28, 1914, to the wife of L. Mills, a daughter.

Madsen—Jan. 1, 1914, to the wife of N. C. Madsen, a son.

Neville—Jan 23, 1914, to the wife of P. M. Neville, a daughter.

Raitt, Jan. 7, 1914, to the wife of Chas. Raitt, a daughter.

Reynolds—Jan. 21, 1914, to the wife of F. E. Reynolds, a daughter.

Smith—Jan. 17, to the wife of F. C. Smith, a son.

Traverso—Jan. 30, 1914, to the wife of G. Traverso, a son.

Tuttle—Jan. 6, 1914, to the wife of C. E. Tuttle, a daughter.

Viano—Jan. 11, 1914, to the wife of B. Viano, a daughter.

Total births recorded, 21; males, 10; females, 11; 21 births recorded for the past month against 21 for the same month in 1913, 12 for 1912 and 11 for 1911 and 8 in 1810.

Chas. R. Blake, M. D.,
Health Commissioner.

For the proper Christmas spirit, don't rely entirely on the bottled variety.

UNIVERSITY ENROLLS 2500 IN CORRESPONDENCE COURSES

Twenty-five hundred people are now taking correspondence instruction from the university of California.

It is only a few months since correspondence instruction was first offered by the university, but already the university extension division has enrolled 519 people for correspondence courses in the university subjects while over 1992 are taking the agricultural department's mail instruction in the raising of various California farm and orchard crops or livestock.

How to write English and how to speak English are to be taught during the coming spring in eight different university extension correspondence courses in English composition and English literature. Geo. A. Smithson, Ph. D., instructor in English phology, has just been placed in charge of the correspondence teaching of English. There will be both elementary and advanced work. One of the elementary courses is designed for those who wish personal improvement in the use of the language or who desire preparation for the university examinations in English. Another of these courses will emphasize training in the forms of grammar, sentence structure, punctuation, etc., while still another elementary course will help people to write better business letters and better reports, train them for precision in the use of words and phrases, and help them to acquire directness of expression, idiomatic usage, continuity of discourse, etc.

The correspondence course in English of college grade will include a course on "The Foundations of Writing," treating of rhetorical laws and their applications in exposition and argumentation, of paragraph structure, of unity, emphasis, and coherence, and of sentences in their relation to one another within a paragraph, a course in "Expository Writing," designed for those who wish a fundamental knowledge of the structures of paragraphs and essays, this course being based on a study of notable modern essays; a course in "Narrative and Descriptive Writing," which will include study of the structure and detail of description, together with frequent practice in narration of simple incidents of everyday life, stirring episodes, or chapters of autobiography, as well as fiction.

A course in short story writing will be given for those who have done work of striking merit in this course in narrative and descriptive writing. In this fiction course manuscripts will be discussed and criticised, and advice given as to structure, form, and substance. There will be also a course called "A General Survey of English Literature," in which representative masterpieces will be studied from the Beowulf to the English writers of the late eighteenth century. This course will be in two parts, with Spenser as the middle goal-post.

Correspondence courses are now offered by the university in mathematics, for business men, accountants, engineers, etc., in political science, education, Latin, advanced German for teachers in secondary schools, French, Spanish, Italian, Japanese, Kuan-hua Mandarin, the current spoken language of China, and Wen-li, the classical written language of China and Japan; in history, philosophies, and economic, political, and geological features of Japan and China; in sociology, philosophy, music, anthropology, geography, stenography, typewriting, astronomy, and drawing, mechanical or freehand, and in a large number of agricultural subjects. Nine courses are now available in nine of the fundamental farm industries of California.

D. W. M'LAUGHLIN PREDICTS GREAT TIMES

(Martinez Standard)

Major D. W. McLaughlin, one of the really big men they have down at Richmond, was in Martinez yesterday telling of the growth of the Terminal city and saying big round strong words for the rest of the county. He is one of a syndicate who in anticipation of the almost immediate future has purchased two hundred and forty-nine acres lying east and adjacent to San Pablo avenue which will be cut up into building sites. It is a beautiful locality for home purposes and the surprise is that it was not preempted long ago for just such a purpose as it will be put to by the McLaughlin syndicate. However, the Lord reserves such things for the right kind of men to come along and benefit themselves as well as others on such acquisitions.

Major McLaughlin says we are on the verge of experiencing the greatest activity that has ever come to this section of the state. The whole county will get it according to Major McLaughlin who is a shrewd observer and not given to the voice of over estimating conditions.

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for our $1475 model three-pasenger Hupmobile Coupe. This car will be presented to one of our patrons Tuesday, March 3, 1914.

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SATURDAY ONLY
Cups and Saucers and Plates

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20c and 15c values
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SANTA FE PEOPLE WANT BETTER WATER

Residents of the Santa Fe district are up in arms over the quality of water being furnished them by McEwen Brothers. It is said the water in that district is not fit for human consumption and with the end in view of getting some relief sixty-two residents of the Santa Fe tract have signed a petition directed to the People's Water company asking that public service corporation to extend its pipe lines into the territory now being served by McEwen Brothers.

Superintendent Farrell, of the water company, has passed the petitions up to the board of directors of his company and will await a decision in the matter.

It is said there is a legal question involved in the matter of the People's Water company invading the field in the Santa Fe district and permission may have to be obtained from the state railroad commission, which has jurisdiction over all public service corporations in the state. It will be recalled that the commission has on several occasions refused the Great Western Power company permission to invade territory of other companies furnishing electric energy for power and light.

ISSUES LEAFLET TO STATE TEACHERS

The superintendent of public instruction has just issued a little leaflet to the teachers of the state calling attention to the latest conclusions of science in carrying on the world wide fight against consumption. It is chiefly written by Dr. B. F. Howard, who is in charge of the bureau of tuberculosis for the state board of health. It particularly assures us that the unreasoning fear of associating with diseased persons is a foolish and useless thing. Worse still, it is cruel and harmful to the cause. A consumptive who takes care of himself is not a source of danger to his associates. The bacilli are so widely distributed in civilized life that every one has continued opportunities for infection, whether he sees consumptives or not. To ostracie patients or to frantically avoid them serves no good purposes whatever.

The leaflet is called "A word to Teachers on Health" and it may be had of the superintendents at the county seat or of Superintendent Hyatt, at Sacramento.

FRIDAY AFTERNEEN CLUB HAVE MEETING

The Friday afternoon club met at the home of Mrs. M. L. Parks this afternoon at which time the members spent a very enjoyable afternoon at auction bridge.

The interior of the Leichester hotel, where the party was held had been prettily decorated for the occasion in pink and white. At a late hour in the afternoon refreshments were served.

HAVE DARK HAIR AND LOOK YOUNG

Don't stay gray! Nobody can tell when you darken gray, faded hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and abundant with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use too. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant. —advt.

LARGER CROWDS HEAR NOTED DIVINE

A larger crowd than has previously attended the revival services at the Presbyterian church, greeted Dr. Sherman last night. While this is no doubt encouraging to Pastor White, in whose church the services are being held. But the quality of the sermons being preached by Dr. Sherman should fill the church every night. The subject chosen for consideration last evening was taken from the book of Hebrews "How Shall We Escape if We Neglect So Great a Salvation." The subject was handled in a masterly way and punctuated throughout with innumerable quotations from the scriptures to which every argument Dr. Sherman has a most pleasing delivery. No oratorical style is used, but simple conversational tones carry the message he has to offer and one almost feels that he is holding a personal interview with the speaker.

The public in general are invited to attend these meetings. This evening at 7:30 the song service will open, after which Dr. Sherman will again deliver a discourse.

Local Mention

Pertinent remarks about well-known people in Richmond and happenings about town.

Work was commenced yesterday afternoon by Chambers & Hafey on the Pullman sewers.

Paul Adams, who has been confined to his home for the past several days with a bad cold, is again able to be up and around.

The blacksmith shop formerly conducted at 1023 Macdonald avenue, by Ward & Reeves has been purchased by W. G. Wiese of Santa Clara.

R. Edrington of the realty firm of Edrington & Bonestell, with offices in Pullman, returned yesterday afternoon from a selling trip to the northern port of the state.

A. J. Soty, deputy district attorney, came down from the county seat today and together with Ed. McDuff, appraised the estate of the of the Golden West hotel. The estate is valued at $9740.

The entertainment which was to have been held at the Santa Fe reading room last evening by the Knox College Glee club has been postponed until tomorrow evening.

Your LAST Chance

To buy new and strictly up-to-date Shoes at this great MONEY SAVING SALE. No old shop-worn and out of style Shoes, but good, new stock, at a saving of 10 per cent and better.

SATURDAY, FEB. 7th

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"ALL ABOARD" FOR TRAINMENS ANNUAL BALL

AFFAIR TO TAKE PLACE IN PYTHIAN HALL

The second annual party to be given in Pythian hall by the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen on the evening of Friday, February 20th, promises to be one of the most enjoyable held by that order for some time.

The committee in charge of the affair has completed all arrangements for the dance, leaving nothing undone in the way of making the affair a success. The Logan orchestra has been secured for the evening which will mean that only the latest in musical hits will be rendered on that evening.

CATHOLIC LADIES TO PLAY WHIST

The ladies of St. Mark's church have completed arrangements for a whist party to be given in the reception rooms of the church on Wednesday evening.

A number of excellent prizes have been secured for the occasion which will insure a number of the whist players of this city being present at the affair.

The committee having charge of the affair are Mrs. Nesbit, Mrs. O'Brien and Mrs. H. C. Bombacher.

It is consoling to think that the suspects probably outnumber the guilty.

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WHILE OUR REMOVAL SALE IS ON

Our store opens on SATURDAY AT 1 P. M. We are doing this in order to give our customers better service, and at the same time comply with the eight-hour law for women.

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Substantial Galateas

Numberless patterns to choose from. Many of these are the famous "Hyde Grade" brand. Priced to sell at 12 1-2c, 15c, 17 1-2c.

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A very pretty material that is much in favor now. We're showing all the leading plain shades, priced at

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LADIES AID TO HAVE A TEA PARTY

The Ladies' Aid society of the Wesley Methodist church will hold a tea party at the home of Mrs. Beiber, 228 Nevin avenue, on Wednesday afternoon. This will be the first meeting of the year that the ladies of the church have held and it is planned to arrange for a number of such parties during the coming year.

DR. STORK AGAIN BUSY IN RICHMOND

Dr. Stork, who has been busy of late in this city, paid Mr. and Mrs. Jack Warwick, residing at the corner of Wall street and Bissell avenue, a quiet visit last evening and left a bouncing 7-pound baby boy to gladden the hearts of the happy couple.

Dr. Lucas reports Mrs. Warwick to be getting on nicely.

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SANTA FE RUMORED BUYER OF THE OAKLAND TRACTION

(Continued from Page 1)

pletion of its Pacific coast terminal facilities was the Key system, with its piers built and building, and its ferryboats, but this could not be acquired without taking over the traction lines, too, and so, according to the story told, the deal was closed to cover both plants of the Terminal corporation. It is said in this connection that the Santa Fe paid $200,000,000 for the property, assumed all obligations of the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal railways, and that out of the deal F. M. Smith emerged with a cool $5,000,000 to the good. Whether any such price was paid by the Santa Fe for the property, if the deal was consummated by them, probably never will be known outside of the "inner circles" of the new ownership.

At headquarters of the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal railways, in the Syndicate building, Oakland, A. W. McLimont, who succeeded W. R. Alberger as general manager of the company, with the assistance of Vice President Frank B. Whipple and the other new executives, is deep in plans for the complete reorganization of the Terminal company. Heads are falling fast and thick in all offices, including those of the operating department, and everywhere the methods of railway management, so firmly entrenched in the Santa Fe policy, are being inaugurated, it is said. While few if any changes apparent to the public have been made in the service of either the Key system or the Oakland traction lines, it is predicted that in a short time many important innovations will be made there to fit in with the new policy perfected so rapidly at headquarters.

With the acquisition of the Key system's terminal facilities the Santa Fe would have secured a complete plant for the handling of passenger and freight traffic between Oakland and San Francisco, which soon will include the freight business that will crowd the new depots and the wharves of the Santa Fe that are being constructed along the estuary at Adams wharf. For a long time the Santa Fe has transferred its passenger traffic to and from San Francisco over the Key system ferries and has always sent its freight destined for San Francisco by ferry via Dunbarton point. The passenger business according to same source of information, will be handled as heretofore, only by the Santa Fe independently, and it is understood that when the Adams wharf freight terminal of the company is completed the greater bulk of this class of Santa Fe business will be ferried across from that point, thus reducing the water haul between Dumbarton and San Francisco to the minimum.

Some time ago President Ripley of the Santa Fe made an inspection tour of the Oakland, Antioch & Eastern line with a view, it was stated at the time, to acquiring that line. The report now is revived that in a short time announcement will come from the east that this deal has been consummated. The Antioch road had an arrangement with the Terminal railways under the Smith ownership whereby its trains delivered and loaded transbay passenger business at the Key Route mole and under the new regime that arrangement has not been disturbed. In view of the fact that the Santa Fe now may absorb the Antioch, it is safe to say that this arrangement will remain permanent.

In connection with all these absorbing statements, the belated information has become public that about a year ago the James J. Hill railroad interests had representatives in Oakland seeking a terminal for the Hill lines. They tried hard to get accommodations for yards, shops and ferry station on the harbor front between the Union Pacific Alameda and Western Pacific moles, but negotiations with the city failed utterly and the scheme fell through.

Waiting for dinner is another pastime recommended to those who think time flies too fast.

It will be just like some men to make sure that the paint on the painted stockings is dry.

A man who believes this is a land of religious liberty shouldn't marry a religious woman.

letter if a postcard will serve as a substitute.

OCTOGENERIAN CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Harriet Dixon, mother of Mrs. Richard Geoghegan, the well known lady attorney, celebrated her eighty-second birthday today at the Geoghegan residence at No. 444 North Second street. The affair was in the nature of a reception to the elderly matron and her host of friends in this city took advantage of the opportunity to congratulate her on having lived to such a ripe old age. Mrs. Dixon was assisted in receiving by her daughter.

The Geoghegan home was tastefully decorated throughout with acacia blossoms. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Dixon is well known in this community and has devoted many years of her past life to church work. She is a leader in the women's bible class in the Wesley Methodist church and is also superintendent of home department of the Sunday school of the same church. Mrs. Dixon is also active in missionary society and is a pioneer member of the local W. C. T. U. The aged lady and her daughter will continue to receive their friends today until 5 o'clock p. m.

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 6—Entertainment at Santa Fe reading room.

Feb. 7—Social dance to be given in Foresters' hall at San Pablo, by San Pablo Companions of the Firest.

Feb. 11—Whist party, given by ladies of St. Mark's parish, at Assembly hall of church, Tenth and Bissell.

Feb. 13.—Whist to be held in A. O. U. W. Hall by Lincoln Homestead of the Homesteaders.

Feb. 13th—Valentine social to be given by the Ladies Aid of the First Methodist church.

Feb. 13.—Valentine ball by Richmond Parlor, N. D. G. W. at East Shore Park.

February 14—Fourth annual dancing party to be given by the Kandy Kids at East Shore park.

Feb. 14th—First annual whist party to be held in Bank hall by Gustav Vasa lodge.

Feb. 16—Whist party to be given in Bank hall by the members of El Cerrito Camp Modern Woodmen.

Feb. 20—Cafeteria social, to be held in Pythian Castle, by the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church.

Feb. 21st—Invitational dance to be given by the X. Y. Z. Club, in Sequoia Hall.

Feb. 23rd—Colonial dinner, to be given by the ladies of the Wesley Methodist.

Feb. 28.—Social dance, to be given in Pythian Temple by the members of Richmond Concert band.

March 17th—Annual St. Patrick's ball to be given in Shore Park by Burke Council Y. M. I.

Eph. Weiss, the expert refracting optician, of San Francisco, announces that his assistant, Miss Rosa Weiss, will visit Richmond every Saturday, at the office of Dr. Hall Vestal, Mechanics Bank Building. Hours: 9 A. M. to 1:30 P. M. dec.1.tf

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At $1.25 Stylish, practical Dresses of checked, plaid and striped ginghams, light striped and checked percales and sturdy chambrays in solid colors. In long waisted effects, some with pleated skirts, others with the new gored skirt and wide belt effects. Some of them have belts and collars and cuffs of white, while others are in solid harmonizing colors.

2 to 6 Year Old Sizes

At $1.00 The very latest models in ginghams in all the pretty stripes, checks and plaids in newest colorings; also fancy figured and plain colors in crepes, among them old blue, light pink and apricot. Some with Dutch necks and short sleeves, others with sailor collars and three-quarter sleeves with turn-back cuffs. All noteworthy values at their price.

Children's Middy Blouses

In Spring Styles

Fresh, new and pretty Middy Blouses of white galatea with many variations of trimming. Some have light blue linen collars, others have large collars of navy and white striped galatea and black silk ties.

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For spring separate skirts are going to be very, very fashionable and first shipments of new and delightful styles are now here.

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You will find styles with minaret tunics, with slanting ruffles about the hips, with flaring folds and other variations of the new draped effects.

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VALENTINES

DIRECT PRIMARY LAW IS BEING QUESTIONED

SAN FRANCOISCO, Feb. 6.—The one question which is holding up the further move of the progressives to place the name of Governor Johnson on the Republican ballot by petition is the answer to the query, "Does failure to secure indorsement by another party at the primary election invalidate the indorsement of a candidate's own party?" This construction of the primary law has been passed up to Attorney-General U. S. Webb by Secretary of State Frank Jordan, and upon the opinion rendered there hinge many possibilities in the coming campaign.

There is a wide divergence of opinion among attorneys on the question, some that the law means an indorsement of one party make a candidate the nominee of that party, and others that to fail in one party invalidates all indorsements. On this account the opinion of the attorney-general is awaited with much interest.

In case Johnson should be placed on the Republican ballot, inasmuch as the nominee of this party alone, and he should not qualify on this second ballot, it would mean that he would be out of the Progressive race also, the way some legal lights read the law which was passed by the last legislature. According to a progressive in the city yesterday, there will be no attempt to secure a place on the Republican ticket now until a construction of the law is had from the attorney-general.

Preliminary to the meeting to be held in Santa Barbara tomorrow by Republicans from all over the state, there will be a conference today of the legal committee appointed last December. J. O. Hayes, chairman of the committee, and other members from the north left last night for Santa Barbara.

This committee was given the power to present a report on the best means of reorganization of the Republican party in the state, and while there has been considerable correspondence among the members during the past two months, the first meeting will be held today when those from the north and the south meet.

RICHMOND PEOPLE GET GOOD MILK

The people of Richmond are fortunate in getting good milk, according to the report just filed with the city council to Health Commissioner Blake. Of the sixteen hotels, restaurants and dairies doing business in this city. Under head of remarks the milk furnished by five hotels is marked "fair" the balance "good," and one lone dairyman has the distinction of furnishing a quality of milk which the city chemist has pronounced "rich." The exception is Maloney's dairy, near San Pablo.

QUIT MEAT WHEN KIDNEYS BOTHER

Take a glass of Salts before Breakfast if your Back hurts or Bladder is troubling you.

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The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

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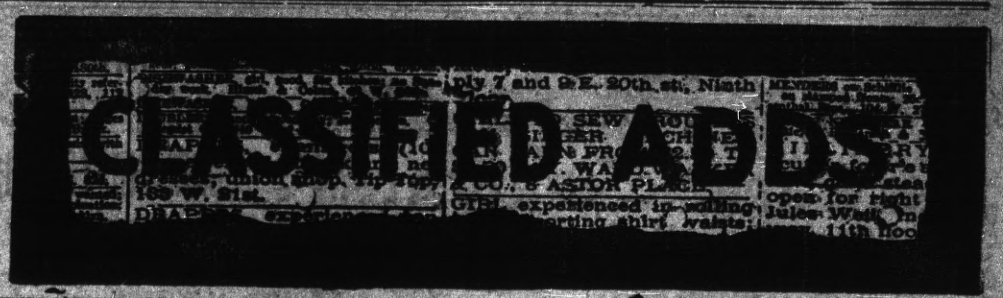

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—2 or 3 furnished rooms for housekeeping, close in. Enquire 829 Macdonald ave. Feb 5 6-t

WILL EXCHANGE FOR RICHMOND OR OAKLAND property or will sell on ten year terms. 61 acre walnut grove, 3 years old, interplanted with peaches and plums. Situated at Patterson, Cal. Address H. C. Herrick, Forsythe Bldg., Fresno, Jan 31-6t

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Residence Phone Richmond 7728
Richmond, Cal.

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First National Bank Bldg., Richmond
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Corner Richmond and Washington Avenues, Point Richmond, Cal.
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2 lots on Chanslor avenue $1050. Half cash; balance to suit.

2 lots on Bissell avenue. Close in; fine site for apartment house.

2 lots corner on Bissell avenue. Close in.

5 room new house on Bissell avenue. $2850; $500 down; balance can be arranged.

5 room cottage on Second street, near Barrett avenue. Price $2300; $150 down; balance $25 per month.

1 lot on Macdonald avenue with store income of $25 per month. Price $4200; $2500 down; balance on mortgage.

We handle the Phoenix of Hartford and other good insurance companies. Also plate glass and automobile insurance. Surety bonds, etc. Don't forget the number.

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ROBBED!

Yes you—If you let some of the good buys in RICHMOND pass by unnoticed. A San Francisco man made the statement today, that he considered his money placed in good Richmond property, as safe as being in the bank. Follow a good leader.

4-room house on Chanslor, near 4th st., $2150; on terms.

5-room house on 13th st., new and modern, $2800; see us for terms.

7-room house on Barrett, fine location, new and modern; terms right.

2 lots on 12th st., $750; cash or terms.

1 lot on 1st st.; street work paid; $500.

2 choice corners in Wall's Harbor Center tract; also some choice inside lots.

See us for large and small acreage, improved and unimproved.

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$2700 buys a new modern, 5-room house on Bissell avenue. Terms can be arranged.

One lot on Twentieth street, just off Barrett avenue. Price $750; $150 cash; balance at $15 per month.

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My auto will take you to the tract

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Lot on Fourth st; street and sewer paid. $500 and on your own terms. Lot on Pennsylvania avenue; street work paid; $600 and on easy terms. Five room bungalows in choice residence district; $2750; $300 cash; balance the same as rent.

LESTER & PLATE

NOTARY PUBLICS

608 MACDONALD AVE. PHONE RICHMOND 1701

GREAT THINGS ARE DOING ALL AROUND RICHMOND

KEY ROUTE NOW SURE FOR RICHMOND—BIG AUTOMOBILE FACTORY A REALITY—GRAND RALLY AND DEMONSTRATION TO BE HELD BY BOOST BODIES OVER COMMENCEMENT OF ACTUAL WORK ON BIG MUNICIPAL TUNNEL AND HIGHWAY—PRIZE BABY TO GET RICHMOND LOT—SEQUOIA COMMERCIAL CLUB AFTER FACTORIES.

The most important event of the week is the taking over of the Key Route system of railroads and the San Francisco-Oakland Terminals railways by the Santa Fe company. The deal has not bee nofficially confirmed, but bears all earmarks of authenticity and is probably true. The big deal, said to involve over a hundred millions, will effect Richmond considerably, and in a favoring way, in that Richmond is the terminal point of the Santa Fe railway system for the Pacific coast and the location of its big machine shops. It will mean that the Key Route will come into Richmond this year, as well as the Southern Pacific fast electrics, and Richmond will be connected up with San Francisco as never before, giving rapid transportation between the two cities and closer commercial relations.

Another very important happening is the closing of the deal for the establishment here of a big automobile manufactory. It is a big concern, reputable and the cars they are to turn out are of standard make and have a large number of users all over the country. The "A Auto Company" is the name of the firm and they will have a big factory in operation in Richmond during the current year. The Richmmond Development company has succeeded in locating the factory on the Gateley ranch, just north of the city, which ranch is to be subdivided and put on the market in town lots this spring by the Richmond Development company and its associates, Gignoux Bros., Harry Ells, B. H. Griffins, et al. This means the employment of several hundred more workmen in Richmond and the investment of large capital.

It is now proposed to hold some kind of a public ceremony and demonstration by the general public over the commencement of the work on the big municipal tunnel through the west side hills at an early date, at which a get-together rally will be held and a jollification over the real commencement of the municipal work on the tunnel and inner harbor project by Richmond, backed by the United States government. The Richmond Industrial commission proposes this and the other boost bodies and city council will doubtless second the motion. Let there be plenty of good eats, red fire, music and oratory!

H. W. Wernse looks fine since he returned from Washington, and is full of more ginger than ever, if that is possible. Wernse is a live wire all day and most of the night.

Henry Cutting is feeling pretty mad—just like the old woman kept the tavern—nit. The suit brought by the Richmond Dredging company against the Santa Fe railroad company for $26,000, for which judgment was given by the courts, has just been denied a new trial and the railroad company will have to pay. We asked Cutting what his company was going to do with all that money, but he just winked the other eye.

One of the best advertisements we have seen lately was by the Ellis Landing and Dock company in the windows of the San Francisco Bulletin, about a lot they are giving away to the baby that gets the most coupon votes. The Bulletin is playing it up in great shape, and it all makes good advertising for Richmond. Their show window on Market street is full of babies, each having a baby ribbon tied to it and leading down to a big picture of Richmond, the Ellis Landing subdivision and the lot to be given to the baby. Many thousands stop to see it every day.

Morseman & Keller, in the Pacific building, San Francisco, have some kind of a new subdivision scheme up their sleeve, the details of which they are not giving out as yet. They put two fine additions to Richmond on the market successfully and are good boosters for Richmond all the time.

George McPherson, in the Monadnock building, San Francisco, has out a new postal card of and for Richmond which is attractive. It shows a good picture of the bay and town and a short history of the growth of the city. When George is not boosting for Richmond he is thinking up new plans to do so.

After attending church and Sunday school last Sunday, Burg Brothers hurried over to Richmond, and brought a big mob of people with them and closed deals for over $30,000 worth of Nicholl-Macdonald lots. The new brick stores and apartment houses going up on this tract are being rushed to as speedy a completion as possible, as people are now waiting to get into them and open up business.

Guy Stokes, head man here for the Wall Harbor interests, commits the crime of writing a poem on Richmond every once in a while, which, however, is the only bad habit he has. Otherwise he is a splendid gentleman and one of the best hustlers Richmond has. Probably we have no kick coming, though, as we sometimes perpetrate poetic atrocities ourself, when nobody is looking. Mr. Stokes, by the way, has figured out this week, using Richmond's school population as a basis, that we now have a population of 19,219. Guess that is not stretched very much—not over a thousand, anyway.

The Sequoia club is now negotiating with a large factory to locate here in the manufacture of wearing apparel, and is confident of success. A free site will be given.

Major McLaughlin is spending most of his time this week out on that new tract the East Richmond Heights company purchased adjoining their other holdings adjoining the city on the east, figuring out just where certain large residences are to be built. And the Major is some figurer, if anybody should ask you.

Herbert Brown, the "Success Starter" and the fellow who just naturally swipes any factory not nailed down wieh piles sunk deep in its site, has a lot of new improvements outlined for his tracts in the northern part of the city for the coming spring, among which being another new factory, additions to the porcelain plant and twenty or thirty new dwelling houses. Happening into Herbert's office in the Wells-Fargo building over in S. F. yesterday we caught him talking into a dictograph machine, of which he has three or four in the offices. What a fine thing one of those machines would be for a fellow to take home and have his wife talk into when she feels inclined to scold.

McEwen Brothers are pulling off something in Napa county lands whenever they have time to stop a few minutes attending to their Richmond interests, which are very large.

Ben Schapiro, the man who has put about a third of Richmond on the market, has something else on his mind just now, along the same lines, but he won't give it up for publication. Mr. Schapiro never does anything by halves.

J. W. Wright & Co. contemplate a lot of improvements on their Emeric tract out 23rd street. It is one of the finest tracts in the city and the day is not far distant when it will be covered with fine family hotels and apartment houses, as will also the San Pablo Villa tract adjoining.

Bouquet & Moran have miles of sewer pipe strung along their Richmond City Center tract and will plant it as fast as weather conditions and the soil will permit.

Everybody is still rejoicing yet over the grand success in carrying the new $150,000 school bonds, which means new and better schools for Richmond this year.

THE AGE OF INVENTION—Has just begun, every new idea in applied mechanics offer an opportunity for wonderful development.

THE MECHANICS STATIONERY STAGE WILL REVOLUTIONIZE ALL STAGING.

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A machine supporting a ladder perpendicular, absolutely safe, arranging a solid adjustable stage fore one or two ladders, designed for Painters, and can be used by nine classes of mechanics. Nine patent claims allowed, full beneficial particulars given in illustrated circulars.

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MECHANICS' STATIONARY STAGE COMPANY, Inc.

WATER MAINS TO BE LAID IN TRACT

An agreement has been reached with the J. W. Wright Realty company whereby the People's Water company will commence immediately the laying of water mains in the Emeric tract.

Superintendent Farrell, together with a large force of men, will commence work tomorrow. The realty firm reports a number of sales made in the tract during the last few weeks.

In the cost of high living are medicine bills that short rations would wipe out.

There are all kinds of people, including those who consider wrestling sport.

VOICE CULTURE

Mrs. Jessie Moore, teacher of music of vocal music of high standing in San Francisco and Berkeley, will start a class in Richmond. She can be interviewed Thursday, January, 29th, in the afternoon, at 710 Bissell avenue. All who wish to have their voices cultivated should call at the above address and receive free, a test of their voices and qualifications. jan24-6t***

If labor gets two cents for making and delivering a pound of sugar, how much ought the consumer pay?

Local Richmond, Socialist Party meets every Thursday eve, at 521 6th St. Subscriptions received for Socialist books and papers.

H. C. THOMAS, Organizer.
O. J. GIBBONS, Secretary.
Jan 16—tf

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1913-1914

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa County the duplicate Assessment Book for the fiscal year 1913-1914, and

1st. That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property will be due and payable on and after the

Second Monday in October 1913, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November next thereafter at 6 o'clock P. M., and unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April, 1914 at 6 o'clock P. M., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. The remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January, 1914, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April next thereafter at 6 o'clock P. M., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount therof.

2d. That all taxes may be paid at the time of the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

3d. That payment of taxes must be made at the office of the Tax Collector, in the town of Martinez.

M. W. JOOST,
Tax Collector of Contra Costa County.

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Last publication April 30, 1914.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1914.

Registration closes for the purpose of voting for school trustees, on March 3rd, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at municipal elections, on March 13, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at the primary election, on July 25th, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at the General Election, on October 3rd, 1914.

You may register with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated: January 22nd, 1914.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, State of California.

The following are registration deputies:

Richmond—A. C. Faris, City Hall; I. R. Vaughn, City Treasurer's Office; Geo. K. Drew, Pt. Richmond; Fred C. Schram, 422 Macdonald avenue; Katherine Zimmerman, 432 C. St.; Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington St.; W. N. Younglove, 1210 Macdonald Ave.; Mary A. Shoemaker, 1024 Barrett Ave.; H. H. Turley, 724 S. 30th St.; Nannie L. Nesbit, 621 Bissell Ave.; D. A. Knowles, 840 20th St.; F. J. Frost, 517 Ripley Ave.; C. B. O'Hara, 434 Fourth St.; Anna Belle Jarvis, 544 20th St.; N. M. Blankenship, 528 Third St.; F. H. Eggerth, 519 14th St.; C. W. Luckett, Pt. Richmond; W. F. Petillon; Geo. E. Schram, 422 Macdonald Ave.; B. B. Pierce, Park Place; Trthur H. Taylor, Wineh aven.

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San Pablo—Geo. E. Valencia.
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Rust—P. J. White.
Giant—W. H. Williams.
Pinole—E. C. Ebsen, E. M. Downer, J. T. Fraser, Zittella Buckley, Mrs. Lucia Robinson.
Hercules—A. M. Ashenfelter.
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Jumbo sizes 17½, 18, 18½, 19 ..... $1.25
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SPECIAL SATURDAY--Jelly Beans, per lb. 10c
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This Ad and 5c good for 2 packages of Crackerjack

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The most complete store of its kind around the Bay.

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All Work Guaranteed

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EPWORTH LEAGUERS TO HEAR SPEAKER

J. H. McKenna, one of the leading officers in the Alameda county Epworth League, alliance, has been secured to speak at the special meeting of the Epworth League, in the Wesley Methodist church on Sunday evening.

McKennan will use for his topic on that evening, "Gentleness With Vehemence."

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Have swept away the barriers
Which once did bar the way.

The Continent is severed.
The mighty oceans meet,
And wealth untold, in stream of gold,
Is poured at Richmond's feet.

The work is done, the prize is won
And here at Fortune's hail,
The Argosies of Commerce
Meet the Monsters of the Rail.

And Golden Opportunity
Invites and beckons home;
The wise who seek both health and wealth.
Why farther should they roam?

The wise, who use those Inward Eyes,
By which the Mind doth see,
Like Janus, looking fore and aft,
Foresight and Memory.

By land and sea, Prosperity
Smiles fair o'er Richmond Town.
The Mighty Magic City
Proudly wears Utopia's crown.

Here's Fame, here's Gain, here's Welcome true,
Come share our happy lot,
In Richmond, by the Golden Gate,
Old Earth's most favored spot.

C. K. LECLAIRE.

AUTO ACCIDENT CASE BEING TERESHED OUT

Jury sworn to try damage suit:
E. B. Nottingham
F. J. Stats
L. R. Palmer
John F. Baldwin
W. A. Myrick
William A. Abrams
Harry Sorgenfry
Loren Dunton
T. B. Jenkins
Robert Stegeman
B. B. Bordem

MARTINEZ, Feb. 6.—Marked by frequent clashes bteween attorneys and with much interest being taken, the big damage suit of Elsa U. Arnold vs. the S. F. & O. T. Ry's by which the plaintiff seeks to collect $75,000 damages for the death of her husband, J. C. Arnold, in the fatal auto accident at Stege last April came to trial Thursday morning, the jury box having been filled late Wednesday afternoon after both sides had exercised all of the preemptory challenges allowed by the codes.

The first witness was Mrs. Arnold. She was followed upon the stand Thursday morning by Flint Breneman the former local boy who was the assistant to the accident victim and who was a member of the party which was wrecked and in which wreck Arnold met his death. Breneman pointed out the places of interest on the map which had been submitted and described the course of the automobile which Arnold was driving along Schmidt lane to the corner of San Pablo avenue where the accident occurred. During the taking of testimony of all of the witnesses there were many tilts between attorneys and proceedings thus far indicate that this is to be one of the hardest fought damage trials ever known in the Contra Costa courts. On one side the widow and her three little children are fighting for what they allege to be justly due them from the corporation, whose car collided with the automobile in which her husband was riding and under the wheels of which he met his death. Lined up against her is the array of attorneys of the street railroad company while outside of the court room witnesses sit in the corridor awaiting their turn on the witness stand. Members of the car crew, engineers and others who have to do with the operation of the street car system are on hand to testify before the trial is concluded.

At the plaintiff's table sit Jay Monroe Lattmer and J. E. Pemberton, J. E. Rodgers being associated with them during the selecting of the jury. At the long table reserved for the defendant's attorneys sit Eugene E. Trefethen, M. C. Chapman, George W. Mordecia and W. H. Smith with whom, W. S. Tinning was associated during the first two days for the purpose of choosing the jury.

George P. Upham, brother-in-law of the deceased engineer was called to the stand in the afternoon and testified to facts similar to those related by Breneman. He too was a member of the ill fated auto party having been invited by Arnold to take the trip for pleasure. He was slightly although not seriously injured in the wreck and will be followed on the witness stand by Leo F. Tormey, another member of the party.

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NEW OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED BY PRAETORIANS

Richmond Council No. 883, Modern Order of Praetorians, met in A. O. U. W. hall last evening for its annual installation of officers. Following the installation a banquet was served.

The installed officers were P. S. A., F. E. Claver; S. A., Lawrence Thole; J. F., D. F. Stratton; Rec., Lulu Taylor; S., Nellie Claver; L., Fred Eddlemon; Att., J. M. Shields; F. C., Ellen Smith; S. C., O. E. Brooks; Sen., R. J. Nesbitt; Medical Examiner, Dr. W. R. Scroggs; P. G., Olive Brooks.

HEALY-TIBBITTS TO SETTLE FOR $1500

The Healy-Tibbetts company has compromised the suit for damages brought against them for the death of George D. Petries which occurred while employed by them and in the performance of his duty while in their service at the corporation's quarry in this city.

The company has offered to pay $1500 and this has been accepted by the administrator of the estate, John Geamalis, who has filed a petition to the superior court at Martinez asking leave to compromise the pending action against the company for the amount stated.

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DRINK HOT TEA FOR A BAD COLD

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Thee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time during the day or before retiring. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores of the skin, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus driving a cold from the system.

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